

## IN MEMORIAM

EMANUEL D. RUDOLPH

(1927 – 1992)

The Board of Trustees of The Ohio State University expresses its sorrow upon the death June 22, 1992, of Emanuel D. Rudolph, Professor Emeritus of the Department of Plant Biology.

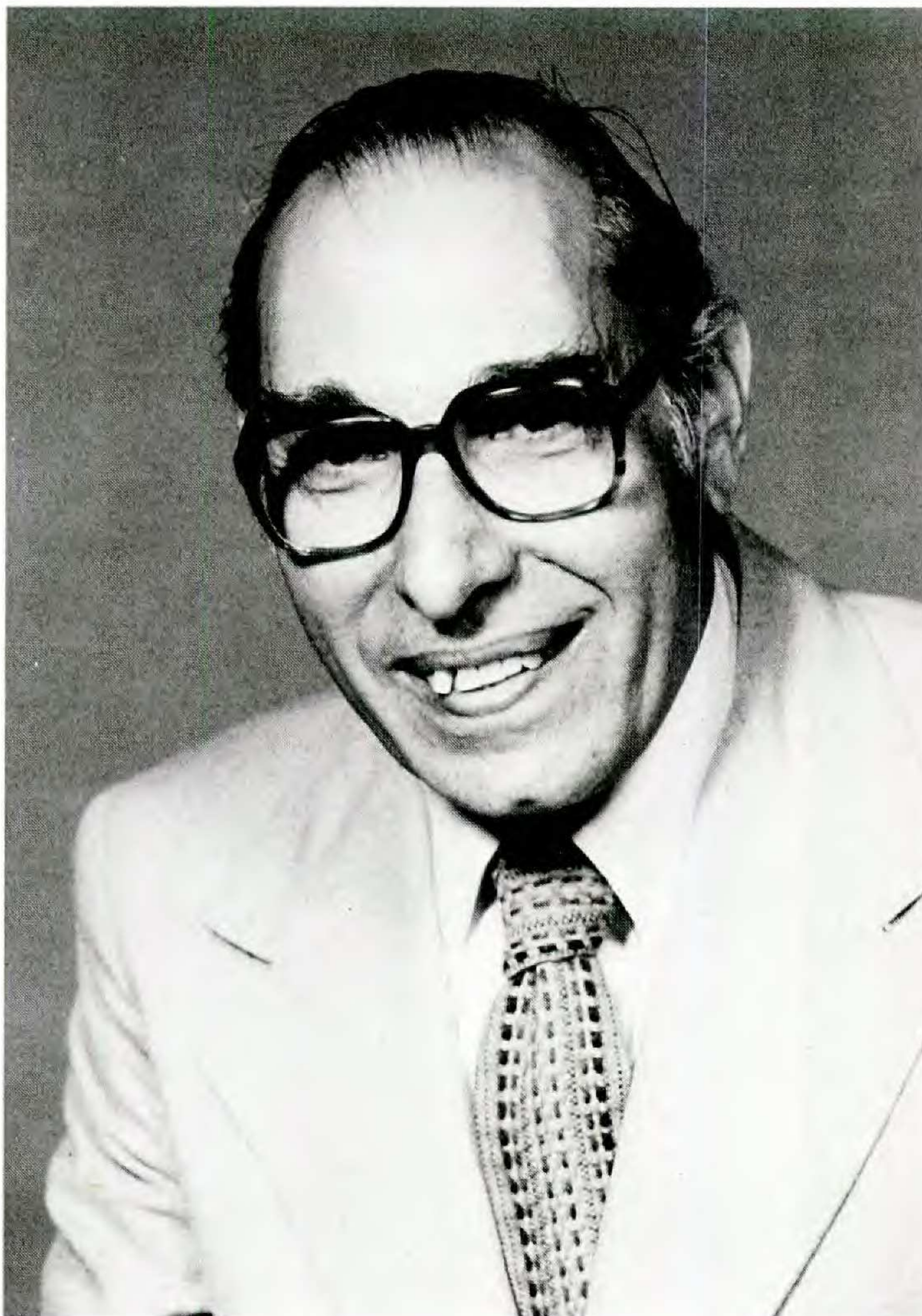
Professor Rudolph was born September 9, 1927, New York, New York. He received his B.A. from New York University in 1950 and his Ph.D. from Washington University (St. Louis) in 1955.

Dr. Rudolph taught in the Department of Botany (now Plant Biology) from 1961 – 89; was chairperson of that department from 1978 – 87; he took early retirement in 1989 and continued to teach one course a year. He served as Director of the Institute of Polar Studies (now Byrd Polar Research Center) from 1969 – 73, and Director of the Environmental Biology Graduate Program, 1972 – 78. And he was curator in the Ohio State University Herbarium.

Dr. Rudolph did research on lichens and the history of botany, authored numerous scientific papers on those topics, edited a book on symbiosis and parasitism, wrote more than 150 book reviews in major journals, and presented more than 100 papers at scientific meetings. He was active in professional societies and other organizations; he was a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, a Fellow of the Ohio Academy of Science, a Fellow of the Arctic Institute of North America and a Fellow of the Linnean Society of London. Dr. Rudolph was the recipient of several awards and honors, among them; the Antarctic Medal of the United States, in 1979. "Rudolph Glacier" in Victoria Land, Antarctica was named after him by the U.S. Board of Geographical Names, and *Edrudia*, a genus of lichens, was named after him in 1980.

Dr. Rudolph was President-Elect of the Ohio Academy of Science; President-Elect of the Friends of the Library (Ohio State University), a group of which he was a founding member and ardent supporter; and Past President of the Friends of the Byrd Polar Research Center.

Dr. Rudolph was a respected researcher, valued teacher and mentor, and generous friend to people in many areas, at Ohio State and around the country. His enthusiasm for learning and scholarship, his gentle good humor and cooperative spirit, were a positive example to all who knew him.—*Ronald L. Stuckey and Barney L. Lipscomb.*



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